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The Leader Tobacco Fund

The Leader, in conjunction with the Calgary Daily Herald, is inaugurating this week a big "drive" for cigarettes and tobacco for Mr. Tommy Atkins. Mr. Atkins needs lots of "smokes," in fact he just can't get along without them.

If you are a smoker you know what it means without your smoke but with Tommy it is doubly hard. A cigarette is about the only thing that will relax the terrible mental and physical strain to which our soldiers are hourly subjected.

Come along now with your bit. Your donations will be acknowledged in the Leader and the Herald. Every quarter will make a large bag. The Leader staff will start the list with \$1.00. Will you be next?

Next Tuesday evening, Hal low'en, the second warf M.L.A. are giving a dance. Pumpkin pie and chocolate will be served. There will be a junior dance in the afternoon for the juniors.

Oliver Eckhardt Co. Here Next Week In Strong Dramas

Next Friday and Saturday, Nov. 3 and 4, the famous Oliver Eckhardt company, producers of "The Rosary," will return once more to the Opera House in their strong attractions.

Friday night "Sweet Clover" a beautiful emotional drama, will be the bill, and the following night the tremendous farce comedy sensation, "The Three Twins."

Seats are selling at the Raymond Pharmacy, prices, 25, 50 and 75 cents.

Something should be done immediately to the road leading east from town and serving an extensive circle of farmers. In fact this road east is one of the main roads in the district. The public works department ought to put this highway in shape right now to facilitate wheat hauling. This work has been already delayed too long.

Canadians at B.Y.U. Are Doing Very Well

The Leader was pleased to receive the following ray notes from Miss Annie Hillier a Magazine girl, taking Journalism under Prof. Nelson of the B. Y. U. Come again, Miss Hillier.

Provo Utah Oct. 16.—There are not many Canadian Students at the B. Y. this winter but those here play a prominent part in the school life. Marion Harris is Student Body President while Louis Brandley another senior is editor of the "White and Blue." Harold Brandley is popular in social circles.

Aften Jensen is continuing her musical studies here and you'll hear other progress next summer.

Mrs. Ray Knight of Raymond was a visitor here last week.

Founders Day was celebrated by the school in a spirited and most enthusiastic manner. The parade headed by our band astonished the citizens of Provo. Everybody thinks we are entering upon the biggest and best year for the B. Y. Throughout the day unusual class and college spirit was exhibited.

The Truck meet took place in the afternoon on the college campus. The spectators were wild with delight when the first year boys won in the "Tar Drag." The poor second years were surely a sorry looking sight after they were dragged under that canvas. In the last event of the day, the parade rush, the Seniors worsted the Freshies. Many and varied were the games they chose to deck poor Freshie in for the public parade.

This successful celebration was followed by a splendid dance in the "Ladies gym." Every student feels better about staying away from home now.

Conservatives of Taber Riding To Meet Later

Although there were about 60 delegates present, mostly from the towns and villages, the Conservative convention at Taber Wednesday evening adjourned without naming a candidate or effecting a permanent district organization, because many of the outlying polling divisions were not represented. Another convention will be called shortly when definite action will be taken.

There was only one name that came up for serious consideration, T. O. King, of Raymond, who is the only logical candidate in view of the unexpected turn of events in the eastern end of the riding.

The Raymond delegates were Messrs T. O. King, George T. Wade, D. A. Bennett and Frank C. Steele.

Mr. Finch Burned When Gas Explodes

S. T. Finch was the victim of a painful accident last Tuesday afternoon. He was filling the gasoline tank of his engine when in some way the fluid exploded badly burning him. His arms, face and leg was severely burned. Medical aid was quickly summoned, and he was removed to his home. Altho the burns were very painful he is now much improved. It will be some time, however, before he will be able to return to work.

The ten new street lights authorized by the council several weeks ago were installed this week by Supt. Powell. Broadway shows a marked improvement as a result.

The instruments for the life and drum band are expected to arrive any day now. Mr. Mitchell is anxious to get the boys started and the boys are also eager. The band will consist of forty fives, four snare drums, one bass drum and a drum major.

Special Rates For Cattle

Farmers who desire to utilize their surplus cattle feed during the coming winter for fattening purposes are offered special inducements by the Canadian Pacific Railway to add to their herds by a reduction in freight rates of the company on cattle returned from Calgary, Edmonton, Winnipeg, Moose Jaw or Saskatoon to country points.

Canadian Pacific Railway officials announce that the reduced rates will become effective immediately and will apply to cattle intended for breeding, finishing or feeding. This reduced rate is intended as an inducement on account of the fact that this year there is an unusual amount of grain in the country that will not go to the mill and farmers will find it very profitable to use this for the preparation of stock for market.

Next Sunday the regular ward conference of Raymond first ward will be held. The stake presidency will be in attendance, and a special musical program will be rendered. Two weeks from Sunday ward conference will be held in Raymond second ward.

D. E. Bennett, manager of the Raymond Mercantile company, is handling the potato and cabbage crop of the local Japanese colony this fall. Already quite a number of cars of produce have been shipped to Winnipeg, and they are commanding good prices on the market there. The Jap boys have been very successful again this season with their gardens and they will have large quantities of stuff to ship to the outside market.

It will be interesting to many of our readers to know that Mark Y. Crossall, ex-mayor and well-known citizen of this district at one time, has moved from Washington, and is now located in the St. Anthony, Idaho, district. He has a farm there.

The state M.L.A. are busy rehearsing the drama, "Our New Minister" for presentation at an early date.

Presbyterians Bid Farewell to Pastor

A week ago, Wednesday, a social was given in the Presbyterian Church, in the form of a "Farewell" for Mr. and Mrs. Simpson. An interesting program was given. One of the best numbers was a talk on "Friendship" by Dr. Greenaway. A handsome cut glass vase was given as a gift from the congregation. After the program, light refreshments were served.

The congregation is indeed sorry to part with them for not only in church work but socially they were helpful.

Mr. Simpson did not always find his work encouraging but the few who did attend found his sermon to be helpful.

Mrs. Simpson did much to advance the "Ladies Aid," of which she was President for over a year.

Whoever has associated with Mrs. Simpson will truly miss her especially those who love fancy work.

Mr. Simpson has been appointed pastor for the Presbyterian church, at Whitney, Ont.

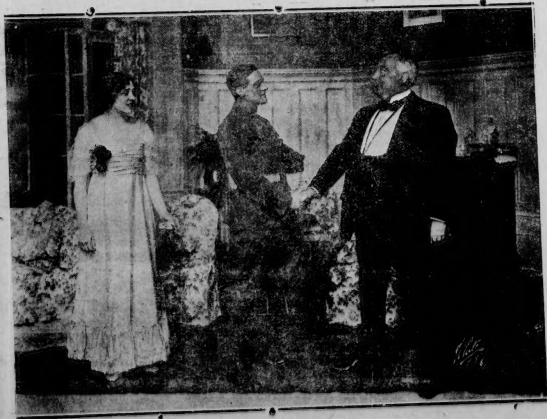
Mr. Craig, one of the Presb travelling Evangelists, from Ottawa is taking charge of the church until another minister is appointed.

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"Liberty," a powerful serial produced by the Universal company and treating of the present crisis in Mexico, will open at the Rex shortly. So recent is this picture that not all the episodes have yet been made. "Liberty," is running at the Princess theatre, Calgary, and is proving a tremendous success.

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DATED Oct. 29th, 1916

JAMES EDWARD SECRIST,
Sheriff's Bailiff.

Mr. McClean's Health

The many friends of the Hon. Arthur McClean will regret to learn that he is so ill that his physician has advised an operation at the Mayo hospital, Rochester, Minn.

Mrs. Arthur Fletcher, of Burdett, spent the past week with relatives in town.

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Raymond Lady's Sad Demise

Mrs. Atwood, wife of Neptali L. Atwood, and a highly respected woman, died at the family residence, Raymond, at an early hour this morning. The funeral service could not be definitely announced at the time of writing.

Pte. John Bridge, formerly of the 13th O. M. B., returned last week from England having been invalided home.

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Raise Good Sum For Sailors' Relief

The magnificent sum of \$163 was netted from the tag day and dance given last Friday by the Sailors' Relief Fund of Magrath. Ald. Bennion as chairman. Magrath certainly did itself proud. The prizes for selling the most tags were won by the following ladies: first prize, Mrs. Amos Peterson; second prize, Miss Reva Bennett; third prize, Mrs. Bruce Cope. The dance in the evening was a signal success, several parties from outside points attending.

Lights Possible

Next Wednesday evening at the town council meeting the special committee, consisting of Mayor Birie, Alderman E. Bennion and J. L. Gibb will submit their report on the electric light proposition. Interviews have been had with Mr. Green, manager of the Billom Milling company, and with Melvin Godfrey, representing Godfrey and Coleman. Before it is given to the public the report must be submitted to the council, but the Leader is at liberty to state that one offer, at least, looks favorable and may be accepted.

The new brick residence of James Meldeum on First South street is fast nearing completion.

Smith Nominated

The Conservatives of the Cardston riding in convention at Cardston last Friday evening, nominated W. G. Smith, of Leavitt, as their standard bearer in the next provincial election. The convention was an enthusiastic one, there being representatives present from practically every polling division in the constituency. Magrath would have sent a larger delegation had more time been given to organize properly. Win. Steel, president of the district executive, presided, and there was in attendance W. S. Ball, candidate for the federal house, and W. A. Cooch, editor of the Lethbridge Telegram.

There were just two names men Gomed W. G. Smith and Joseph Y. Card. Mr. Card withdrew in Mr. Smith's favor, and the nomination was made unanimous. After the candidate had been chosen the district executive was elected. R. W. Bradshaw, Magrath, vice-president, and J. E. Harris, Cardston, secretary. A strong committee was chosen among which were several prominent ladies.

W. G. Smith, is an influential farmer and stockman of the foothills country. He is a widower, and an old-timer in Alberta. Everyone in the south, both Conservative and Liberal, agree that he will make a strong candidate. He is already hard at work, and just as soon as the writs are issued—if the reported appeal to the country materializes—he will plunge into the campaign.

The past week has been quite favorable to threshing and a good deal of grain has been put through. There are about thirty machines busy in the Magrath district and another two weeks will see most of the crop cleaned-up. Fifty percent done is a safe estimate. North of town another week will see all the grain threshed, but south, where spending and cutting was slow, it will be somewhat later. East and west a fortnight will see the threshing practically finished.

The elevators are working night and day to handle the big rush. Grain tanks almost form an endless chain, and it is keeping the C. P. R. busy supplying the cars.

Pte. Neil B. Forsyth, former chairman of the Magrath School Board, had a narrow escape from poisoning recently, according to letters just received from Shorncliffe, England. It appears that Pte. Forsyth had a bad cold and a comrade offered him some tablets which he said would effect a speedy cure. An over-dose must have been taken for Pte. Forsyth soon became seriously sick and was hurried to the hospital. He made a brave fight for life and fortunately was pulled through by the doctors. When he wrote he was yet in hospital but was improving fast.

The other Magrath boys in England and at the front are quite well. Privates Mercer and Harris are with the Princess Pals band at Shorncliffe.

The two-year old child of Mr. and Mrs. James Tomlinson has been dangerously ill for some time, suffering with pneumonia. At the time of writing the little one is still very ill.

Mrs. Dr. Dice was taken to the Galt Hospital Thursday evening and an operation for appendicitis was performed. She is reported to be doing nicely now.

J. B. Birie went to Conits yesterday on business. He has a bunch of sheep in quarantine at the line.

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C. F. STEELE, Editor

The Calgary News-Telegram thinks
the Leader unjust because we took
issue with them on the testimony
of Ray Knight to the sugar indus-
try as reported in that paper. We
are sorry that we were forced to
attack the News-Telegram in this
instance as it is one of the most
highly esteemed papers that come
to our exchange table. But we are
not sorry for what we said because
the News-Telegram got just what
was coming to it.

The point which called for re-
pudiation was that women and
children worked in the best fields
at Raymond. In its issue of the
20th inst. the News-Telegram con-
fessed editorially that Mr. Knight
did not say that women and chil-
dren worked in the best fields in
this district, and adds, "nor did the
News-Telegram get just what was
coming to it."

We do not pose as an authority
on logic, but the following extract
from the Telegram of Oct. 4th,
looks like an "intimation" to us:

"There are not enough women
and children in the Raymond dis-
trict. It takes women and children
according to the witness, in view of
the fact that the wage of men is
too great. The women and children
can do the work; all they have to
do is to stoop over the sugar beets
all day, cutting the tops off, hauling
them into wagons, shoveling them
out, filling them, loading them in the
cars, etc., etc. Men could do it, but
it would be too hard for the aver-
age farmer, at least that is what
the farmers of Raymond thought.
..... Chinamen could do it, but
even Chinamen could not live on
the pitances they receive from the
sugar beet industry. There is nothing
left but to wait until there are
ENOUGH (obviously there are
some—Ed.) women and children,
enough who must work or who will
work quite cheaply indeed."

Not only was the piffle an "in-
timation" but it was exactly what
Bp. Evans called it, "Hotten."

Dr. A. Clayton Greenaway

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